

The Hondo Anvil Herald.

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HONDO, MEDINA COUNTY, TEXAS, OCTOBER 23, 1942.

NO TOWN EVER GREW
on Trade That Went
Elsewhere.
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Here in HONDO
LOCAL AND PERSONALExtra
Copies
of this paper
Containing the ballot
For sale at this office
Or either of the local drug stores;
Buy one and study your ticket
more
You go to vote; papers only 5c
a copy.
Joe Neuman joined our band of
players Monday.Box Stationery from 10c to \$2.00
FLY DRUG CO.Robert Riff was a business caller
at this office Tuesday.

50c Woodbury's Shaving Lotion

or 9c at FLY DRUG CO.

Miss Mary Ann Noonan spent the
weekend in San Antonio.Fruits and candies of all kinds, at
EARLE'S CONFECTIONERY.

A Beautiful Assortment of Greet-

Cards for all Occasions at FLY

DRUG CO.

Edmund Ney of Austin spent the
weekend with his parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Ney.Toby Koch was in Hondo for a
Sunday, enroute from Uvalde

to San Antonio.

FOR YOUR HOSPITALIZATION
POLICY, SEE A. ESSER AT
PHANIS, TEXAS.

6tpd

New Auto Registration—Oct. 3

Mrs Henrietta Batot, Hondo, Olds-

mobile 4-door sedan.

Mrs Joe Spittel and Mrs. Willard

Scheie of Medina Lake were Hondo

business visitors Monday.

Legar Poultry Prescription will

make more eggs for the market. At

WINDROW DRUG STORE.

Mr. Elby Couch of Lufkin, of
Western Union, is visiting Mr.
and Mrs. James R. Duncan this week.

Gifts! Gifts! for Birthdays, Wed-

dings, and for the Boys in the Ser-

vice at WINDROW DRUG STORE.

FOUND—One three-year-old

bedford horned bull. On hand eight

weeks. WOODROW GLASSCOCK,

Hondo.

2tpd

GOOD CLEANING DOESN'T

COST IT PAYS—PHONE 125—

W. HORACE CROW — MODEL

CLEANERS.

Gas Electrolux, 5 1/2 feet,

20.00. Gas range, all white table-

model, \$35.00. G. B. KING,

Box 603, Sabinal, Texas.

4tpd

FOR SALE—A few good

bred

pups, 3 of them purebred Hamp-

ton, W. B. TOM, Leakey, Texas,

2 miles north of Sabinal.

1tpd

For the Boys in the Services—A

list of gift suggestions approved by

the Army and Navy. See the list at

WINDROW DRUG STORE.

Mrs. Zelma Scheweers returned

Thursday from a several weeks'

stay in San Francisco, Calif., with

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Wiederanders.

G. H. Finger, who is attending a

Technicians training school at Beau-

mont, spent the week-end with his

parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Finger.

Mr. and Mrs. George Windrow and

children of Laredo visited relatives

Sunday. They were accompa-

nied home by Mrs. W. C. Allen for a

visit.

My wire-haired Terrier has dis-

appeared. Color, white with 2 black

spots; answers to the name of Doc.

Reward for his return. DICK FLY,

1tpd

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hardee and

have moved their household goods

from Dilley the first of the

week and will make their home in

Hondo again.

FOR SALE—One 3-month-old

pedigreed Cocker Spaniel puppy. For

information write or call LT. DON-

ALB MCKAY, Group 2, at the Navi-

gation School.

1tpd

H. E. HAASS, Attorney-at-Law,

office at residence, Hondo, Texas.

All legal matters carefully attended

in all courts of Texas. Manager

Medina County Abstract Company.

S. Sgt. and Mrs. Andrew May of

Fort Bliss, Texas, arrived Sunday

on a ten-day furlough. They

are visiting Mrs. May's parents, Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. George Karm, and daugh-

ters.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Rath brough

their little daughter, Zuzanne, home

saturday from the Medical Arts Hos-

pital in San Antonio where she had

been a patient for several days.

She is now fully recovered from her

illness.

S. Sgt. Andrew May and George

Karm were visitors at this office

Tuesday. Mr. Karm reports that

most of the rain that brought the

new morning rise in the creeks

500 feet north of his place, from four to

five inches being reported at various

points.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Heyen inform-

us that their son, Chester, has

been advanced to the rank of Ser-

gent, making this progress in a lit-

tle over four months time in the

service. He is stationed at Indo,

and expects to be a mess ser-

vant by the first of next year.

MALE HELP WANTED

To handle Men's Wear Depart-

ment. Good pay and commission to

proper party. V. HORACE CROW,

CITIZENS URGED TO ATTEND
BIG U. S. O. RALLY NEXT
MONDAY NIGHT

A meeting of Hondo citizens is hereby called by Dr. T. B. Knapp, U. S. O. Chairman, to convene at 8 P. M. in the Sons of Herman Hall. Following a meeting of the local U. S. O. Council the past Monday night, Dr. Knapp, Chairman of the local council, called this next meeting, which will be thrown open to the public, and all members of the council are expected to be present, together with all citizens who are interested in U. S. O. work or want to know more about the functions of this activity in Hondo.

The last meeting, according to Dr. Knapp, was a very enthusiastic one. Plans for renovating and furnishing that part of the Jungman building, which has recently been leased by the U. S. O. were discussed, acted upon, and it is to be expected that work will actually begin this week.

In commenting on the U. S. O. Dr. Knapp expressed the wish that the citizenship of Hondo be better acquainted with the wide scope of this work and the necessity for a better understanding of it by the citizenship at large, and he made an especial plea for the ladies of the city to be in attendance and learn of the aims and purposes.

The plans for the renovation are quite extensive, and when completed, Hondo will have a U. S. O. unit that it may well be proud of, ranking with many of the larger units.

The particular U. S. O. in Hondo is under the direction of the National Catholic Community Service, of which Father C. Garcia is moderator. There will be an associate director from the Young Women's Christian Association, who according to notification just received is to arrive on November 1st.

It is sincerely hoped the citizenship of Hondo will show their interest by attendance Monday night.

MEDINA COUNTY MEN ANSWER
CALL TO SERVICE

Selective Service and calls for enlistment in the various branches of the armed services of the United States, a large number of Medina County men and youths have been inducted in the past weeks, according to information from the Medina County Draft Board. A group of draftees reported to Fort Sam Houston, Texas, on October 13, to be inducted into the Army. After fourteen days leave in which to close their business affairs, the following men will report back for active duty and to be assigned posts:

Reymundo Pompa, Devine; Pedro Castillo, Devine; Ray P. Chacon, Devine; Eufrasio Castillo, Hondo; Benavicio Reyes, Natalia; Ezequiel Rodriguez, Natalia; Santos Mares, Devine; Manuel Duran, Hondo; Manuel Leal, Yancey; Pascual Esparza Pedraza, Natalia; Yrmeo Hernandez, Devine; Guadalupe Hernandez, Hondo; Francisco S. Riojas, Devine; Ray Wesley Ward, transferred in from San Diego, Duval County; and Benito DeLeon, transferred in from Belton, Bell County.

Since September 27 and including October 15 the following have enlisted in some branch of the armed services: Joe D. McCullough, Devine; John Tondre, D'Hanis; Francis H. Flach, Jr., Castroville; Clarence Carter, Devine; Edward B. Edwin, Hondo; Julius H. Reitzer, D'Hanis; Patrick J. Mangold, Devine; Sam Haralson, Hondo; Ira McMillan, Devine; Hubert H. Hermes, Hondo; Charles Saathoff, D'Hanis; and George C. Summerer, Hondo.

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WE BUY EGGS. CHAPMAN MILL AND GRAIN CO., Hondo, tf.

EVERSHARP FOUNTAIN PENS AND PENCILS AT FLY DRUG CO.

Mrs. Jack Hartung entered Medina Hospital on Oct. 20 for medical treatment.

FOR SALE—Business lot 35 ft. front, near courthouse. \$1000.00. See Hondo Land Co.

Miss Beatrice D. Laney, an employee at the air field, was a patient at Medina Hospital for medical treatment, having entered Oct. 18th.

WINDROW DRUG NEWS

Lovely Gifts



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Whimsical Bridal Scene on cover. Old fashioned marriage certificate inside cover. Filled with devices to further modern romance—Large Decanter Jug of Cologne, Sugar-Shaker Talc, Sacher, Guest Soap, Ether Plantation Garden or Woodland Spice bouquet. \$2.00.

Fritz De Grotz was a caller Friday to renew the subscription to this paper for his sister, Mrs. A. T. Forst. Mr. Forst, now well in his eighties, is one of this paper's oldest readers.

Please remember, we can go anywhere when our services are desired—day or night. Just ring Phone 75, and we will attend to everything.—INO. A. HORGER, Funeral Director

Current issues of this paper are for sale at Windrow's Drug Store at 5c a copy. Oblige us all by informing any inquirers.

Mrs. Emil Graff and her daughter, Mrs. H. G. Boehle, were appointed callers at this office Saturday.

Miss Martha Bevil sends the paper to her mother, Mrs. A. L. Bevil, at Kurtze, Texas.

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Second Lieutenants J. G. Barry, M. L. McDowell and J. W. Hill arrived home Tuesday from Miami Beach, Florida, where they have been attending Officers' Training School since the first of September. They are visiting their respective families here before being assigned to active duty. Lts. McDowell and Hill will resume their role of instructor at the AAF Navigation School here, but Lt. Barry was still unassigned Thursday morning.

Rev. C. Weeber, pastor of the Quihui Lutheran Church, and Rev. M. J. Loring of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, attended the Fall Conference of the San Antonio District held at Marion, Texas, October 20th and 21st. Chaplain George Schardt of the AAF Navigation School and Mrs. Schardt also were in attendance Tuesday.

Rev. R. R. Gresham and Supt. H. C. Richards, new citizens of Hondo, have set a commendable example for others by enrolling as subscribers to the home-town paper. Rev. Gresham is the new pastor of the Baptist Church and Mr. Richards the new Superintendent of our schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Aug. J. Leinweber were business callers at this office Wednesday, renewing for their own subscription and also for each of their two soldier boys, Sgt. Eddie Leinweber of Fort Bliss, Texas, and Aviation Cadet Marvin Leinweber of San Antonio.

Mrs. Ralph Stiegler, the former Virginia Snow, informs us that her husband, Pvt. Ralph Stiegler, is stationed at Camp Crowder, Missouri. He has been in Missouri two months, ever since his induction into the Army, and is attached to the Signal Service Regiment.

Mrs. Walter Hitzfeldt was over from D'Hanis yesterday and sent the paper to her son, Pvt. George Hitzfeldt of the Marines. Private Hitzfeldt was somewhere south of the equator when last heard from and is no doubt in the midst of the Solomon Islands mellee.

Mr. and Mrs. George Karm and daughters and S/Sgt. and Mrs. Andrew May were Brackettville visitors Wednesday. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Barth and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sittre and family.

W. C. Horger and Floyd Slater, former Hondo boys but now residing in San Antonio, were here Sunday, the former visiting his mother, Mrs. J. T. Horger, and the latter mingling with old friends.

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Gay dancing couples encircle this box by Old South. Three adorable Guest Decanter Jugs of Cologne—one of each fragrance—Woodland Spice, Plantation Garden and Cotton Blossom. \$1.00.

Virginia Reel Trio

WANTED—Reliable young lady to do general house work. J. D. KLINGEMAN, Yancey. 2tpd

BACK

UP

THE BOYS

AT THE

FRONT—

BUY

DEFENSE

BONDS

AND

STAMPS.

RED CROSS NOTES

How the Red Cross is spending its \$70,500,000 contributed during the organization's recent war fund, on war services was explained today by Mrs. E. J. Leinweber, chairman of the Medina County Red Cross chapter.

The generosity of the American people, who gave over \$20,000,000 more than was originally asked during the organization's first war fund in World War II, made it unnecessary for the Red Cross to appeal for more funds before next March, Mrs. Leinweber said, adding that the Red Cross would not conduct its regular Roll Call this fall.

Basing her statements upon the organization's most recent report, "Since Pearl Harbor," Mrs. Leinweber said that more than half of the money is being used for direct services to the armed forces. The Red Cross, she pointed out, is responsible, under its Congressional Charter, "to act in matters of voluntary relief and as a medium of communication between the people of the United States and their Army and Navy." The Red Cross, she said is the "official welfare agency for the men in service—the only civilian welfare agency serving the armed forces wherever stationed." Added to this responsibility is an expanding program of recreation for servicemen in the United States and at foreign bases.

In the large camps of the country, she continued, there are 56 Red Cross Administration Buildings from which this service is rendered but in every camp, every base, every air station, this service is always available to our service men.

Further breakdown of the Red Cross dollar shows that 10 per cent is being used for civilian emergencies, 25 per cent for preparedness, civilian training and stockpiles, and 15 per cent is earmarked for chapter use, Mrs. Leinweber said.

"The reason for this particular report," she concluded, "is to give those millions of Americans who contributed their money to our last war fund a clearer conception of how their dollars are working for Victory. As you know, the Red Cross will not conduct another financial campaign until next March. It has long been the policy of the American National Red Cross not to participate in joint fund raising drives, because of its charter obligations.

As President Roosevelt recently wrote: 'The character of the Red Cross and its responsibilities are such that the national interests will best be served if the Red Cross maintains direct contact with the people for the membership and support necessary for its work at home and abroad.'

JHNNY CROUCH IN LARGE CLASS OF EAGER WARBIRDS ENTERING RANDOLPH

RANDOLPH FIELD, Texas, Oct. 22.—Eager, determined aviation cadets of class 43-B this week began their basic flight training as members of one of the largest contingents of eaglets in the annals of the West Point of the Air.

Among the future skyfighters is Aviation Cadet John Crouch, 25, of Hondo. He is the son of Mrs. Jone Crouch. He received a bachelor of science degree at the University of Texas, where he was captain of the varsity swimming team. He was All-American in 1939 and holds State and Southern AAU records. After operating a boys' club, he enlisted in the Army Air Forces and received his primary flight training at Garner Field, Uvalde, Texas.

Randolph's new warbirds, who come from farms and cities throughout the Nation, are slated to complete their nine-week basic period during the week of December 7, first anniversary of the Jap's sneak assault on Pearl Harbor.

On completion of basic training, the cadets will move to advanced schools, after which they will receive Army Air Forces wings and commissions as flying lieutenants.

TO THE SOLDIER BOYS IN HONDO

The Yancey Baptist Church, 12 miles South of the town of Hondo, wishes to invite you who will come to their church and Sunday School. Services are as follows:

Sunday School at 10 A. M. Church services every fourth Sunday at 11 A. M.

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WESTERN AUTO ASSOCIATE STORE HONDO

RED CROSS CHAPTER MEETS

The Medina County Chapter of the American Red Cross met at the organization's headquarters in Hondo Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 20, with Mrs. E. J. Leinweber, County Chairman, presiding. Various reports of committeemen were given and the Secretary, Mrs. R. J. Noonan, read the minutes and the important instructions to the local organization from national headquarters.

Among the work accomplished by the Medina County Chapter since its last monthly meeting was the contribution of \$25.00 to a family in LaCoste who suffered heavy losses in the recent hurricane. Also two small radios were installed in the convalescent rooms of the post hospital at the AAF Navigation School of Hondo. Mrs. A. C. Gilliam made a beautiful afghan from yarn leftover from Red Cross knitting and crocheting and this comfort has also been given to the field hospital. Members of the Volunteer Service cut and folded surgical dressings for use at the field hospital.

Additional surgical dressings will be made, and material for cutting and sewing, and yarn for knitting will be distributed to volunteer workers as soon as a Volunteer Service chairman is appointed to replace Mrs. O. B. Taylor, resigned.

The Red Cross class in Nutrition was organized Monday, Oct. 19, and regular study will begin next Monday, Oct. 26. Anyone wishing to take the course which is a pre-requisite for Red Cross Canteen Work, may still do so at Monday's meeting and are requested to bring with them a loose leaf notebook and pencil. The class convenes at 3 P. M. at the courthouse.

Mrs. J. H. Burgin, Chapter Treasurer, gave the following financial report covering the period from April 10, 1942, to June 30, 1942:

RECEIPTS

Membership: 7 \$ 7.00

Contributions for General Chapter Activities \$ 262.78

War Relief 24.66

Balance on hand at beginning of period—Jr. R. C. Serv. Funds, \$32.09

General Chapter \$552.47 584.56

War Relief A/C 216.32

Total \$1095.32

DISBURSEMENTS

Supplies for Chapter Production (including Transportation costs) 193.40

Junior Red Cross Administrative Expense 5.50

War Relief Bal in A/C 240.98

Balance on hand at end of period—Jr. R. C. Serv. Fund \$26.59

General Chapter \$628.85 655.44

Total \$1095.32

NEW U. S. O. DIRECTOR HERE

Mr. R. G. Powell of Fort Worth, Texas, arrived last week-end to take over the supervision of the local United Service Organization unit, replacing Mr. Edward Vial who has been transferred elsewhere. Mr. Powell, an enthusiastic worker for "his boys", comes here direct from the U. S. O. club at Wichita Falls, Texas.

He is especially anxious to meet the people of Hondo and to have their whole-hearted cooperation in carrying on the U. S. O. work. To facilitate this, he urgently requests that local people attended the mass meeting called for Monday night by Dr. T. B. Knopp, chairman of the local Council.

To show the possibilities the U. S. O. offers for recreation facilities for the men in service here, Mr. Powell said that over 1400 soldiers came to the temporary U. S. O. lounge in Hondo last Sunday. As soon as all the improvements are made in the building, many times that many soldiers will be taken care of and to be able to do so successfully, the people of Hondo will have to give freely of their time and energies.

EAGLE PASS DEFEATS HONDO

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HONDO, TEXAS, OCT. 23, 1942



A summary of the past week's war events reviewed by The National Editorial Association Defense Advisory Committee in cooperation with the Office of Government Reports.

OCTOBER 20, 1942

Acting at the suggestion of the President and the request of the War Department, the House passed and sent to the Senate legislation to reduce the minimum draft age from 20 to 18. The bill provides that those who are in high school or college may finish the present school year, but after next July educational deferments would be forbidden. The bill would also make mandatory the policy of calling all single men in a state before calling married men, and then calling all childless married men before men with children.

Secretary of War Stimson announced there are approximately 4,250,000 men in the Army at present and this total will be increased to 7,500,000 by the end of 1943—distributed as follows: 3,300,000 in the ground forces, 2,200,000 in the Air force, 1,000,000 in training and 1,000,000 in supply services.

Mr. Stimson said 18 and 19 year-olds are more responsive to leadership, are not as easily fatigued and make better soldiers than older men. He said there is danger at present that the Army might get too old. In March of this year the average age of divisions being activated was 26 years and 2 months, but in August the figure had risen to 28 years and 2 months.

If the draft age is lowered to 18, a 7,500,000-man Army can be built up in 1943 without calling married men with children. Selective Service Director Hershey reported, Induction of married men with wives only will begin immediately to fill the Army's call for 1,100,000 by January 1, he said.

The War Front

Secretary Stimson announced that ground units of the Army are now aiding the Marines in the defense of Guadalcanal in the Solomons, and Army air and ground troops are now stationed in New Zealand, New Caledonia, the New Hebrides and Fiji Islands.

"The Japanese are continuing to bomb our airfield and shore positions on Guadalcanal Island and it is believed that enemy troops and equipment are being disposed for a strong assault against our airfield," the Navy reported October 18. During the early morning of October 17, about 14 enemy bombers, escorted by 8 fighters, attacked the Guadalcanal airfield and shore positions, the communiqué said, but U. S. fighters and anti-aircraft batteries shot down all the bombers and two of the fighters. These latest raids brought the toll of Japanese aircraft since the Solomons fighting began last August to 307 of all types destroyed.

"Although large numbers of Japanese troops are known to be on Guadalcanal Island, there has been as yet no full scale land fighting," the Navy said. "Our losses in the current fighting, to date, (October 18) have been minor, but in a battle of this nature losses must be expected. All information on the fighting in the Solomons which is not valuable to the enemy is being announced as soon as possible after being received."

General MacArthur's Headquarters reported October 19 that Allied bombers attacking Japanese shipping concentrations off Buin in the Northern Solomons scored probable hits on three enemy cruisers, a large seaplane tender, seven flying boats and several cargo vessels. In the Aleutians, U. S. ground forces took a third island in the Andreanof group, and Army medium bombers bombed two more enemy destroyers near Kiska.

—WSS—

It is expected that labor draft legislation will be tough. One big question is that is bothering Congress and armed service officers is "Must drafted workers join unions and must closed shops be opened to non-union draftees?" The recent statement of Admiral Moreell at the AFL convention that the American people could not live without labor, but could live without unions and that "they will damn well live without them here if all of us don't get in there and pitch," and others made by top officials, puzzle some at the Capitol who wonder whether they have spoken out of turn.

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TO THE VOTERS OF COMMISSIONER PRE. NO. 2

At the request of many friends, I have consented to announce that I will run for Commissioner for Precinct No. 2 of this county to be elected at the General Election to be held on the 3rd day of November, A. D. 1942.

My name will not appear on the official ballot, hence it will be necessary for those who desire to vote for me to run a line through the name of the one whose name will appear on said ballot or ticket, and then write my name in with BLACK INK or PENCIL.

Your vote and support will be greatly appreciated.

H. J. BIPPERT.

TAX-PAYERS, ATTENTION

This is the month to save 3 percent on State taxes by paying in full. If you prefer you can also during this month pay half your taxes and have until June next year to pay the other half. You can take advantage of either the discount method or the split payment plan as you prefer.

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He estimated 1943 requirements of dressed pork for the U. S. Armed Forces and lend-lease will exceed 1942 requirements by more than one billion pounds.

The Department of Agriculture reported farm wage rates on October 1, were 220 per cent of the 1910-14 period and the highest since 1920. The average rate per day without board, \$2.76, was up 31 cents since July and up 72 cents since the previous October. The Department said its total September purchases of dairy products, fish, fruit and other commodities amounted to \$115 million, compared with the August total of \$83 million. The Department is now buying 17 key foodstuffs every week and 11 others every two weeks.

Rationing

The Office of Price Administration ruled that after next January 31, all motorists holding A mileage rationing books must have their tires inspected every four months and those receiving books allowing them supplemental mileage must have their tires inspected every two months. Original inspections of tires on all passenger cars must be made between December 1 and January 31, while commercial vehicle tires—which must be inspected every two months or every 5,000 miles, whichever comes first—may be checked any time after November 15.

Price Administrator Henderson set November 9 as registration day for gasoline rationing in the states where rationing is not already in effect, while motorists in the present rationing area must file a tire inspection certificate with their local rationing boards by November 22.

Car owners in the latter area must list the serial numbers of all their tires, and if there are more than five per car, the owner will be denied gasoline ration books until he has disposed of the extra tires. Mr. Henderson said the Government already has started to purchase from car owners all new or used tires in excess of five per automobile. The Defense Supplies Corporation, which has advanced \$150,000,000 for the program, has designated 160 warehouses throughout the country as delivery points, and the 23,000 offices of the Railway Express Agency will collect the tires and bring them to the warehouses.

The OPA said war ration sugar stamp No. 9 will be good for the purchase of three pounds of sugar between November 1 and December 15. The sugar allotments for institutional and industrial users for November and December were set at 60 and 70 per cent, respectively, of the sugar base established by them.

Maximum Prices

A specific price ceiling for women's rayon hose will be issued soon, the OPA said, and in the meantime, buyers should carefully compare prices with those of last March to make certain they are not being overcharged. "There is no excuse for any increase in the price of rayon hose," the Office said. The OPA placed dried eggs under price control at the highest levels at which distributors did business during the September 28-October 2 base period. The Office also set up a method for retail dealers to determine their ceiling prices for fresh grapefruit.

Stabilization of Wages

Director Byrnes of the Office of Economic Stabilization said the War Labor Board will regulate all salaries under \$3,000 and those up to \$5,000 which are covered in wage agreements. He said the Treasury Department is preparing regulations for salaries of more than \$3,000 other than those handled by the Board as part of wage regulations. The WLB ruled individual wage adjustments may now be made by employers without prior Board approval providing they are "incident to the application of the terms of an established wage agreement or to established wage rate schedules covering the work assignments of employees" and are made as the result of certain established practices.

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AT THE THEATRES

The Raye

SAT.—"Juke Girl" drama of dime a-dance girls. Players: Ann Sheridan, Ronald Reagan, Richard Whorf, Gene Lockhart, Betty Brewer, Faye Emerson, George Tobias and Alan Hale.

SUN-MON.—"This Gun For Hire", melodrama of a girl magician on the trail of a fifth columnist. Players: Veronica Lake, Robert Preston, Laird Cregar and Alan Ladd.

TUES-WED.—"Broadway", Prohibition era melodrama. Players: George Raft, Pat O'Brien, Janet Blair, Brod Crawford, Marjorie Rambeau, Anne Gwynne, Marie Wilson, Edward Brophy, and many others.

THURS-FRI.—"The Gay Sisters", drama of three sisters ensnared in court battles. Players: Barbara Stanwyck, George Brent, Geraldine Fitzgerald, Donald Crisp, Gig Young, Nancy Coleman, Gene Lockhart, Larry Sims, Donald Woods, and Grant Mitchell.

The Park

FRI-SAT.—"Man From Montana", Western. Players: Johnny Mack Brown, Fuzzy Knight, Butch and Buddy, The Kings Men, and Nell O'Day.

SUN-MON.—"Moontide", drama on the waterfront. Players: Jean Gabin, Ida Lupino, Thomas Mitchell, Claud Rains, Jerome Cowan, Helene Reynolds, Ralph Byrd, and many others.

TUES-WED.—"Powder Town", comedy about sabotage. Players: Victor McLaglen, Edmond O'Brien, June Havoc, Dorothy Lovett, Eddie Foy Jr., and others.

THURS.—"The Loves of Edgar Allan Poe", costume drama. Players: John Sheppard, Linda Darnell, Virginia Gilmore, Jane Darwell, Mary Howard, Frank Conroy, Henry Morgan, and Walter Kingsford.

WHEN SUMMER ENDS

When daybreak lights her lamp at dawn
And floods the window panes with sun,—

The heart leaps like a frightened fawn,
Frenzied at the chance to run.

We hail the wind-songs summer brings;
We hum the trills the birdies teach

And cast a smile on glassy springs,
That go so far beyond our reach.

But winter steals this soul's delight
And our lamps of joy flutter out,
While dreams that wander thru the night

Are sunk within the womb of doubt.
The wells of comfort all gone dry,
Yet hearts, bleak as a frozen tree.

Will find it dignified to cry
When summer ends for you and me

—THOMAS DOUDIKEN.

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16-42d.

Mr. J. Wiemers and son, Elbert,

last Friday visitors to this of-

ice, Mr. Wiemers renewing for our

Herald-Farming-Pathfinder

station.

A fine rain fell here Sunday morn-

ing, causing a considerable rise in

the streams. The rain was not

bad, but will be helpful to fall

and pastures.

OR SALE—45-acre farm—elev-

from Hondo on Hondo-De-

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Hondo Land Company at the An-

Herald office or Phone 127.

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side of town near school—

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ffice.

Mr. F. Mann and son, William, were

visitors at this office Friday

last week. The gentlemen were

over the small grain and pas-

butts and lamented the fact

much corn is being lost on ac-

of the rains.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Wiemers and

son, Vernell, from San Antonio

week-end visitors here. While

they paid the Anvil Herald

call and ordered the pa-

for their neighbor, E. J. Rein-

of San Antonio.

Robert Cosgrove was a caller at

office Saturday, renewing the

subscription to this paper for his

Mr. R. B. Cosgrove. Robert, a

graduate of Hondo High School,

he is leaving Wednesday to

the U. S. Coast Guard.

OR SALE—20 acre farm with

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Glider pilot Evans Kieffer entered
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Mrs. F. D. Williams entered
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Mr. and Mrs. Clyde W. Taylor are
the parents of a 6-pound baby girl,
born October 19, 1942, at Medina
Hospital. Mr. Taylor is employed
at the air field.

Mr. Wm. O'Donnell is a patient
at Medina Hospital, having entered
on October 16th for medical treatment.
His many friends hope for
his return to good health.

FOR SALE—50 Black Top Solid
Mouth Delane Merino Ewes, one 5-
year old Ram. Are extra smooth soft
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HART, Bandera, Texas.

Mrs. Florence Love had as her
guests for a short time last Wednesday
her son-in-law and daughter, Lt. and Mrs. M. T. Giles, who were en-
route from Fort Douglas, Utah, to
their new station at Fort Riley, Kansas.
Lt. Giles is with the Cavalry and he
and his wife are living at Junction City, Kansas.

Howard Lass of the United
States Coast Guard arrived home
Sunday from his station at St.
Petersburg, Florida, and will spend
his furlough until November 1st with
his father, H. V. Haass Jr., at Cas-
troville and with his grandparents,
Judge and Mrs. H. V. Haass Sr. and
Mrs. George W. Cameron of Hondo.
Howard has completely recovered
from the effects of an electric shock
received several months ago when he
touched a plane which had become
electrified during a storm.

D. G. Reitzer was a business caller
at this office yesterday. Mr. Reitzer,
a native of Quihi, has many
interesting reminiscences and has
seen many changes in his day. From
watching to avoid a surprise attack
from Indians while his father hauled
wood with an ox-team to watching
the modern airplane zooming over
head is some transition in one life-
time. Among other memories is that
of helping as a twelve-year-old boy
older men punch cattle over what
is now the Hondo Navigation School.

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LOCAL PERSONAL AND BUSINESS ITEMS FROM THIS BUSY BURG

ISABEL KARM, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News and advertising copy for this column for the week's issue should be submitted to Miss Karm or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Tuesday night of each week. Miss Karm is authorized to collect and receipt for any business for this paper.

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS TUESDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1942

MONTHLY MEETING OF C. Y. O

Opening prayer was said and the meeting was called to order by the president. The treasurer gave a report.

A motion was made by Laura Mae Schott that the club ask some Catholic soldier boys for breakfast at our next regular communion Sunday and all go to communion in a body which was agreed on by all. The members are looking forward to this occasion.

Eloise Haegelin gave a very interesting talk on "The Power of the Rosary." Tammy Frey was the name drawn out of the hat for our next meeting.

Father Lenzen and all the members signed the Christmas cards to be sent to our members in service who are across the seas. The others will be signed at the next meeting. The meeting adjourned.

The Saus served a delicious lunch consisting of sandwiches, cookies, and coffee. Those on the serving committee were Angelina Scherrer, Clarence Keller, Cornelius Fisher, Howard and Leon Mechler. Rio Medina will serve next.

The club was sorry to learn that two more members were inducted into service since our last meeting. They were Milton Tschirhart, who is in the U. S. Coast Guard, and Alfonse Scherrer in the U. S. Army.

Everybody was reminded of communion Sunday, Oct. 18th.

—Reporter.

ZION'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday, Oct. 25, 1942

10:00 a. m. Sunday School and Bible Classes, William H. Santleben, Superintendent.

11:00 a. m. German Reformation Service.

Holy Communion will be celebrated on Sunday, Oct. 25 in the German language, and on Sunday, Nov. 1st, in the English language.

We kindly invite our dear members to please attend Holy Communion.

Rev. A. L. Wolff, of San Antonio, will speak in our church next Wednesday, Oct. 28th at 9:00 o'clock at night on Christian Evangelism.

Please come out to hear this fine speaker. Our congregation highly appreciates Pastor Wolff.

Lutheran Ladies Aid will meet on Thursday, Oct. 29 at 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon in the Fuds Bldg. We thank our dear members for the wonderful fine spirit of giving so freely towards missions.

Professor Strong preached two splendid sermons. This is to remind all members and friends of Zion's Lutheran church, that we are trying to make each service of our church to be inviting and inspiring to one and all who will come our way at any time. And that we herewith extend a most cordial, personal and urgent invitation to each and all to worship with us next Sunday. Come one and all, to work and worship with us. The church with a welcome.

A. H. FALKENBERG, Pastor.

NEWS NOTES FROM THE NAVIGATION SCHOOL

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vice Officer.

Performers in the "Funzapoppin'" revue will be those who have appeared in recent shows at the Enlisted Men's Service Club at the Navigation School.

The production will be directed by Pfc. Sammy Schachter, formerly of Earl Carroll Vanity Shows. Included in the cast will be Pvt. Alfred De La Fuente, former member of the "Eternal Road" cast, and featured player in many NBC network dramas; Pvt. Hank Ainsbinder, former manager of the Dead End Kids; the Fleischman Twins, Bill and Stan, formerly with Dante the Magician; Pvt. Leon Goldstein, former violinist with Leopold Stokowski's National Youth Orchestra; Pfc. Sid Shannan, featured drummer with the New York production of "Helzapoppin'" and many others.

Following the performance of "Funzapoppin'" Sgt. Doug Ackley and his AAFNS band will play for dancing at the U. S. O. club.

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MASTER SERGEANT IS HONORED BY GRADUATING CLASS

For his meritorious service as a mechanic-engineer, Master Sergeant William J. Mareth, 27, was made an honorary member of graduating Cadet Class 42-14 last Saturday morning at the AAF Navigation School.

M/Sgt. Mareth was awarded a plaque citing him for his outstanding service. The plaque was presented by Lt. John M. Platt of Sumter, S. C., cadet colonel.

The master sergeant, whose home is Cameron, Texas, has been in the army since 1938. He was made a master sergeant on October 1 this year. He is a member of the 839th School Squadron, and works in the engineering office of his group.

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HONDO CONTRIBUTES HUGE AMOUNTS TO SCRAP DRIVE

The people of Hondo contributed 5,000 pounds of scrap rubber and 25 tons of scrap iron to the current scrap material drive under way in Medina and Uvalde counties.

Lt. Donald F. Halfpenny, salvage and reclamation officer of the Navigation School, announced this week.

All of the scrap metal and rubber piled in the yards of the three Hondo schools was collected this week, and deposited in the massive scrap dump on the post. Three loads of scrap material were also collected this week from D'Hanis.

With a major portion of the available scrap collected in Medina and Uvalde counties, the campaign was extended this week to Bandera, Zavalla, and Frio counties. Trucks from the Navigation School will assist in collection of the scrap from these additional areas, Lt. Halfpenny announced.

The total amounts of the various scrap items collected in the drive were estimated this week by the salvage officer. According to Lt. Halfpenny's report the following amounts have been collected in Medina and Uvalde counties: 286.5 lbs. of aluminum, 246 lbs. of brass, 217 pounds of copper, 296 pounds of lead battery plates, 400 lbs. of automobile radiators, 113 tons of scrap iron, 1,126 lbs. of mixed scrap rubber, 4,849 lbs. of automobile tires, and 866 lbs. of truck tires.

As the drive continues throughout this area, Lt. Col. Paul L. Carroll, Navigation School Post Quartermaster, has written letters to mayors and county judges in Bandera, Zavalla, and Frio counties, offering to provide drivers, trucks, and labor needed for collecting the material.

Organizations and individuals who have accumulated scrap are urged to contact their respective mayors or judges.

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FIVE HONDO MEN ENLISTED AT NAVIGATION SCHOOL

Forty-six men from regions near Hondo, including five men from Hondo itself, have been enlisted as mechanics and radio technicians and are now stationed at the Army Air Forces Navigation School here.

Names of the men were announced this week by Capt. E. G. McLemore, technician procurement officer at the Navigation School. They are:

From Hondo: Chester M. Balzen, August C. Steffler, Otis H. Burrell, Charles R. Finger, and Paul G. Morrison.

D'Hanis: James A. Wolff, Louis C. Richter, and Joseph M. Zinsmeyer.

Sabinal: George A. Spence, Pedro A. Leos, and Zeke P. Herrera.

Crystal City: Porfirio P. Pena and Rogie L. Mena.

Uvalde: A. T. Fowler, Roy L. Ham, Alfred G. Garey, Warren G. Fisher, Bolivar C. Williams, Albert W. Wimberly, Maurice B. Jennings, and Edward E. Bowlin.

Devine: J. T. Wilks, Ewald B. Schomberg, James O. Bassett, Arlyn M. Covington, and Eugene L. Williams.

Pearsall: Joshua Rodriguez and Ralph M. Ortiz.

Normal: Leland W. West.

Freer: Elmer L. Fohn.

Brackettville: Elisandro G. Lazo, Charles O. Jones, Eugene Stidham, Ben M. Jenkins, Joseph E. Oliver, Juan Perea, Donald R. Stalnach, Oscar B. Neuman, Carlos Perez, and Sam Hoover, Jr.

San Antonio: Jacob O. Carpenter, Edward J. Knapp, Joe W. Hartman, William G. Mays, and Otto A. Kasparek.

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PFC. STEWART TO HEAD CIVILIAN GROUP AT NEW AIR FIELD

Pfc. Edward S. Stewart, 37, a practicing attorney at law before his induction into the army, will be transferred from the AAF Navigation School to a new air corps advanced flying school at Altus, Oklahoma, November 1, and placed in charge of civilian personnel of the Quartermaster Corps there.

Pfc. Stewart, assigned to the 908th Quartermaster Corps at the AAFNS, is now in charge of dependency allotments for the enlisted men of the field.

Prior to his entry into the armed forces in August, he was a member of the New York law firm of Stewart and Shearer. He attended Princeton University and holds an LLB from Harvard University.

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VACANCIES STILL EXIST IN THE 324th AAF BAND

Players of band instruments may find an outlet for their talents at the AAF Navigation School by transferring into the 324th AAF Band.

ED. HUTZLER.

Squadron, Tech. Sergeant Mahlon B. Salmond, acting director of the band, announces.

Several vacancies still exist in the band. These may be filled by enlisted men now on the field. Transfers into the band squadron may be arranged, T/Sgt. Salmond explained.

All band musicians interested in joining the band are urged to contact T/Sgt. Salmond at the 324th AAF Band Squadron. The phone number is 525.

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PRIZES AWARDED IN POST AMATEUR HOUR

The AAF Navigation School's first Amateur Night, conducted last Friday night at the Enlisted Men's Service Club, brought out a host of competitors for the three prizes offered.

Following the amateur hour, music for dancing in "barn dance" manner was furnished by the AAFNS orchestra directed by Sgt. Doug Ackley.

First prize in the amateur hour was awarded to Johnny Nadiak, hot harmonica player of the 843rd School Squadron. Second prize went to Edmund C. Jackowiak, 836th School Squadron, who gave a torrid performance on the drums. The third place winner was Corp. Kenneth Jones, tenor soloist of the 369th Air Base Squadron.

All will remain at the Navigation School with the exception of War Officer Sweet, who has transferred to another field.

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RED CROSS DIRECTOR EX-PLAINS SERVICE TO GLIDER PILOTS

Services rendered by the American Red Cross to men in the armed forces are being outlined to glider pilot trainees at the AAF Navigation School by Lawrence Schuerman, Field Director of the American Red Cross.

Mr. Schuerman addresses a group of glider pilots each Monday at the Navigation School Post Theatre.

Mr. Schuerman quoted a statement by Capt. Harlan F. Baker, commanding officer of Headquarters and the Headquarters Squadron, one of the largest Army units at Lowry Field, near Denver.

Capt. Baker's statement was as follows: "While the general public may have the notion that other services of the Red Cross are of first importance, the commanding officer of a squadron knows that Services to the Armed Forces are indispensable."

The captain continued, "I instruct my entire personnel as to the possibilities of the Red Cross functions,

and find that not only enlisted men, but officers also, take advantage of Red Cross financial assistance when problems arise which they cannot handle thru their individual efforts. Without Red Cross investigation the information which is necessary for commanding officers to have when a member of the armed forces needs help would not be available."

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HONDO NAVIGATION SCHOOL TO COLLECT COUNTY SCRAP

AAF Navigation School, Hondo, Texas, Oct. 20.—The Army Air Forces' cooperation with charitable and civic organizations in the nationwide collection of scrap metal has been extended in this area to Bandera, Zavalla and Frio counties, Lt. Col. Paul L. Carroll, Hondo Navigation School Post Quartermaster, announced here.

With more than 200,000 pounds already collected in Medina and Uvalde counties, Col. Carroll has written to mayors and county judges in the three counties offering to provide organizations with drivers, trucks and the labor needed for loading in an effort to speed up this vital drive. Organizations and individuals who have accumulated scrap are urged to contact their respective mayor or judge.

"The nation wide drive which must be forth every available pound of scrap metal from every corner of the country for our war industries has received the enthusiastic support from the people of this region," Col. Carroll declared. "I have every confidence that when we are finished we shall have accumulated more than 400,000 pounds in this section of Texas, thanks to the support we are being given."

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NEWS FROM THE 908th QM

By Pvt. Julius M. Neerman

Pvt. Jeremiah Burke, who recently underwent an operation for her

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PFC. STEWART TO HEAD CIVILIAN GROUP AT NEW AIR FIELD

This generation has never seen a time as serious as the present emergency. Many are prone to become pessimistic beyond measure. There is no need for this, however.

History reveals many dark and bloody periods; but better times, yes, often a long era of prosperity and peace follows. The horrors of war also teach us many good things which we overlooked in good days. Above all, we learn to "lift up our eyes unto the hills from whence cometh our help." The Lord still reigns, and blessed the nation whose God is the Lord! We are learning discipline, service beyond measure, giving until it hurts. Yes, people willingly sacrifice their all, even their lives. This is a good sign, and should be a lesson for all of us how we ought to give and serve and sacrifice for the Lord.

Brigadier General Earl Naiden returned from Java and India recently. The officers of this Post were fortunate to be able to hear his interesting lecture last Saturday. One thing impressed me especially, namely his emphasis on religion, or rather the comparison between the many gods of the heathen and our true God and Savior, Jesus Christ.

In India, millions live in poverty and filth. They are diseased beyond measure. To them cows are sacred and more precious than man himself. Their children are half-starved all of the time; some of these poor creatures are purposely crippled to become beggars for the household. Women are slaves and do all of the hard labor. In some castes, the woman dares not leave her home after marriage. The average span of life is 30 years.

Many of us have read things in books. Now many, like General Naiden, see it with their own eyes. Yes, here in America we live in a veritable heaven. It's too bad that many do not know it and do not thank God for it. Where Christiani-

ty has entered the boundaries of nations, where home and individuals have opened their hearts to this saving Gospel, men experience a complete change, and with it also the community changes. The evil consequences of sin flee before "the Light that shineth in darkness."

Perhaps the very fact that this war scatters people all over the face of the earth will also have its beneficial effects. Christians, true believers will be brought into these dark places of the earth. And who knows? Many will indeed be "a salt to the earth and a light to the world." Perhaps when everything is over, even India and dark Africa will experience some of the blessings of Christianity which are ours in this "land of the free."

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WARRANT OFFICERS APPOINTED AT NAVIGATION SCHOOL

Nine enlisted men of the AAF Navigation School at Hondo were honorably discharged from the Army this week and became the Hondo school's first Warrant Officers—the army officers who are addressed as "Mister".

Eight of the men were assigned to duty at the Navigation School, the ninth was transferred to another field.

The men received their warrants after successfully completing the physical and mental tests required for army warrant officers. All of them were appointed Warrant Officers, Junior Grade.

The new Warrant Officers are: Messrs. John R. Goetz, former Tech Sergeant, 842nd School Squadron; Alonzo R. Johnston, former Staff Sergeant, 844th; Louis Finkel, former Master Sergeant attached to the 808th Squadron and assigned to Post Finance; James C. Taylor, Sgt. 839th; Howard W. Gilmore, Staff Sergeant,